

**TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

**West Fertilizer Company dba Adair Grain, Inc. Incident  
Situation Report #35  
May 4, 2013**

Subject: April 17, 2013 Explosion at West Fertilizer Company dba Adair Grain, Inc.

Location: 1471 Jerry Mashek Drive, West (McLennan County), TX 76691

This report covers activities conducted during the operational period, beginning May 4, 2013 at 0700 hours through May 4, 2013, 1500 hours.

1. Jason Neumann (Waco Region) (SOSC), and Chad Ahlgren (Austin Region) (MCC) staffed this operational period until 1900 hours on May 4, 2013.
2. TCEQ contractors conducted air monitoring this operational period. Contractor staff included OMI (7 staff), CTEH (4 staff), and SWS (5 staff) until 1500 hours on May 3, 2013.
3. The focus for this operational period is continued air monitoring. There continues to be no emissions above action levels.
4. Specific chemicals being monitored by CTEH included volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and ammonia.
5. The next Debris Management meeting is scheduled for Sunday, May 5, 2013 at 1500 hours. The meeting will take place in the Knights of Columbus building.
6. The household hazardous waste (HHW) collection event began at 0800 hours at 1329 North Davis Street. The event is being conducted by OMI with TCEQ oversight. Citizens have been dropping off HHW throughout the day.
7. The ammonia scrub water was transported to WMARSS by SWS (State Contractor). Manifest will be provided.